

RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION DATED 04-04-2006

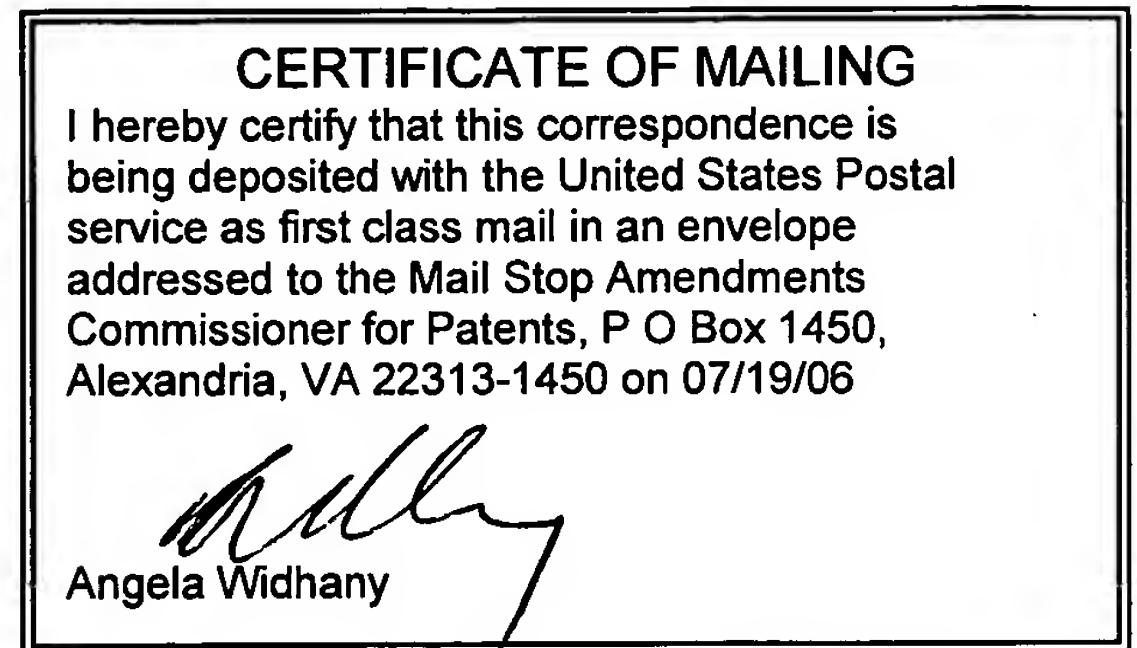
In re. the Application of:

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**Application Serial No. 10/649,077
priority date: 05/11/2003**

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**For: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR
PROVIDING ELECTRICAL PULSES TO
THE VAGUS NERVE(S) TO PROVIDE
THERAPY FOR OBESITY, EATING
DISORDERS, NEUROLOGICAL AND
NEUROPSYCHIATRIC DISORDERS WITH
A STIMULATOR, COMPRISING BI-
DIRECTIONAL COMMUNICATION AND
NETWORK CAPABILITIES.**



Art unit: 3766

**Examiner: Eric D. Bertram
Robert E. Pezzuto (SPE)**

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Dear Sir:

Applicant submits this Amendment and Response to address the Office Action having mailing date of 04/04/2006. The Applicant requests within first month extension to file this response. A check for \$60.00 is enclosed as fee for this extension.

Please amend the above-identified patent application as follows: